

Electrosynthesis of tetraethylsilane from elemental silicon

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Abstract

Electrolysis of alkylation reagents at silicon-containing electrodes results in alkylsilanes in both cathodic and anodic processes. A mechanism for the reaction is proposed. © 1995, Plenum Publishing Corporation. All rights reserved.

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